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| Serial No.: 09/373,837            | § Art Unit: 2616                  |
|                                   | §                                 |
| Filed: 08/13/1999                 | § Confirmation No.: 2996          |
|                                   | §                                 |
| For: <b>DELIAYED-START METHOD</b> | §                                 |
| <b>FOR INTERNAL FLOW</b>          | §                                 |
| <b>CONROL IN PACKET</b>           | §                                 |
| <b>SWITCHES</b>                   |                                   |

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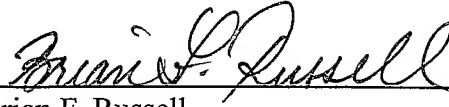
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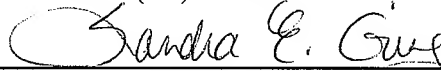
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